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1. A barracks for Czechoslovak infantry is located between the villages of Woken and Dauba. It can take a complete regiment.
2. At present it is occupied by a rifle regiment belonging to the divisional command at Ceska Lipa. The regiment consists of a commander with a staff of 63 to 65 men; an accompanying battery, 82 to 85 men with four 76.2 mm guns; an AT company, 90 men with four 57mm guns; a mortar company, 80 to 82 men, with three 82 mm mortars and three 120 mm mortars; a communications company, 85 to 90 men; a reconnaissance company, 105 to 110 men, with machine pistols; a heavy machine gun company, 110 men, with 12 AA machine guns.
3. There are three battalions. The 1st has 330 to 340 men, with a machine gun company having 12 heavy machine guns, and three rifle companies, each having three light machine guns, 20 machine pistols and 65 rifles. The 2nd Battalion has 350 to 365 men, and the same armament. The 3rd Battalion has 310 to 320 men and the same armament.
4. The regiment is partly motorized with 72 to 76 trucks, which are used by the heavy weapons formations and the reinforcement organizations.

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5. Morale is only medium. The service is very hard, and the men are often tired and lacking in interest.
6. Every 10 or 12 days there is target practice, accompanied by march exercises, regardless of the weather. There are alarms once a week.
7. The soldiers belong to the classes 1930 to 1932, with a few volunteers from the class of 1933. Czechs make up 60 percent of the men, the remainder being Slovaks.

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